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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Weimin Sun et al. Examiner: Frances Oropeza  
Serial No.: 09/657404 Group Art Unit: 3762  
Filed: September 8, 2000 Docket No: 279.279US1  
Title: IMPROVED RATE-ADAPTIVE THERAPY WITH AUTOMATIC LIMITING  
OF MAXIMUM PACING RATE

**PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed January 29, 2004, said period of response being extended from April 29, 2004 to May 29, 2004 ( a Saturday).

**Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee.**

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